

**MEETING OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL**

**DOCKET: TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 2004**

**HENRY I. BOWDITCH PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL ROOM, 2<sup>ND</sup> FL.  
250 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON, MA:**

**1) ROUTINE ITEMS: No Discussion**

- a) Compliance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30A, Section 11A ½
- b) Records of the Public Health Council Meeting of November 18, 2003

**2) PERSONNEL ACTIONS: No Discussion**

- a) Request approval of appointments and reappointments to the various medical staffs of Tewksbury Hospital, letters of April 8, 2004
- b) Request approval of appointments and reappointments to the medical and allied health professional staff of Lemuel Shattuck Hospital, letter of April 12, 2004

**STAFF PRESENTATION:**

**“GEOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC PATTERNS IN HEALTH RISKS AND BEHAVIORS—RESULTS FROM THE 2002 MASSACHUSETTS BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM”, by Christine Macaluso, Epidemiologist, and Zi Zhang, Director, Health Survey Program, Center for Health Information, Statistics, Research and Evaluation**

**3) PROPOSED REGULATION: NO VOTE/INFORMATION ONLY**

Informational Briefing on Proposed Amendments to Determination of Need Regulations 105 CMR 100.000 Governing Application Filing Days

**4) DETERMINATION OF NEED GUIDELINES:**

Request for Approval to Extend the Expiration Date of the Revised Determination of Need Guidelines for Chronic Disease and Acute Inpatient Rehabilitation Services

The Commissioner and the Public Health Council are defined by law as constituting the Department of Public Health. The Council has one regular meeting per month. These meetings are open to public attendance except when the Council meets in Executive Session. The Council's meetings are not hearings, nor do members of the public have a right to speak or address the Council. The docket will indicate whether or not floor discussions are anticipated. For purposes of fairness since the regular meeting is not a hearing and is not advertised as such, presentations from the floor may require a decision until a subsequent meeting.